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Monday, May 02, 2005/Vaisakha 12, 1927 (Saka)

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The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of the Clock

(MR. SPEAKER in the Chair)

Title: Reference made to the passing away of Shri Akbor Ali Khandoker (Member 12th and 13th Lok Sabha) on 24.4.2005.

OBITUARY REFERENCE

MR. SPEAKER: Hon. Members, I have to inform the House of the sad demise of our former colleague, Shri Akbor Ali Khandoker.

Shri Akbor Ali Khandoker was a Member of the Twelfth and Thirteenth Lok Sabhas from 1998 to 2004 representing Serampore Parliamentary Constituency of West Bengal.

Earlier, Shri Khandoker was a Member of the West Bengal Legislative Assembly from 1996 to 1998.

An able parliamentarian, Shri Khandoker was a Member of the Committee on Urban and Rural Development; Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House and the Consultative Committee, Ministry of Urban Development during the Twelfth Lok

Sabha. In the Thirteenth Lok Sabha, he was a Member, Committee on Transport and Tourism, and Consultative Committee, Ministry of Urban Development.

Shri Khandoker was actively associated with various social and cultural organisations. He was a very popular Member.

Shri Akbor Ali Khandoker passed away on 24th April, 2005 at New Delhi at a very early age of 48 years only.

We deeply mourn the loss of this friend and I am sure the House would join me in conveying our condolences to the bereaved family.

The House may now stand in silence for a short while as a mark of respect to the memory of the departed.

11.01 hrs.

The Members then stood in silence for a short while.